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Divisional Application of Serial No.: 09/942,341

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First Named Inventor: Faith M. Oi

For: BELOW GROUND NON-EDIBLE FORAGING MATRIX CONFIGURATIONS FOR ARTHROPOD CONTROL

Examiner: Valenti, Andrea M.

Group: 3643

Assistant Commissioner for Patents

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Washington, D.C. 20231

Honorable Assistant Commissioner:

This is a request for filing a Divisional Application under 37 CFR 1.53 of pending prior application Serial No. 09/942,341 filed August 29, 2001. This Divisional Application elects to cancel all claims, enter the attached Information Disclosure Statement, enter the attached preliminary amendment and formal drawings.

1. Enclosed is a copy of the prior application, including the oath or declaration as originally filed, and I hereby verify that the attached papers are a true copy of the prior application Serial No. 09/942,341 as originally filed on August 29, 2001.

2. The filing fee is calculated below:

## CLAIMS AS FILED, LESS ANY CLAIMS CANCELED BY AMENDMENT

### FEE CALCULATION

Basic Filing Fee	\$ 375.00
Total Claims in excess of 20: 0 - 20 = 0 @ \$9.00 =	.00
Independent Claims in excess of 3: 0 - 3 = 0 @ \$40.00 =	<u>.00</u>

TOTAL FEE: \$ 375.00

3. Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence: -- This is a Divisional of Application Serial No. 09/942,341 filed August 29, 2001.--

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**4. Amend the claims before calculating the filing fee as follows:**

Enter the attached preliminary amendment.

**5. The prior application is assigned of record to: University of Florida, a state university which is a nonprofit institution and is entitled to Small entity filing fee status as evidenced by the enclosed copy of the Recordation of Assignment Documents dated 08/29/2001, Reel/Frame 012147/0388.**

**6. The following have received Power of Attorney in the prior application: Brian S. Steinberger, Registration No. 36,423.**

**7. A copy of the Power of Attorney in the prior application is enclosed.**

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The undersigned declares further that all statements made herein of his own knowledge are true and that all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true; and further that these statements were made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application of any patent issuing thereon.

Date

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